CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method for tracking the sale of goods in a store utilizing a network-based supply chain management framework, comprising:

a) receiving data from a plurality of stores of a supply chain utilizing a network, the data relating to the sale of goods by the stores, and being in a first format associated with the stores;

b) sending the data from the stores to a supply chain manager utilizing the network; and

c) translating the data to a second format associated with the supply chain manager.

2. The method of claim 1, wherein the stores include restaurants.

3. The method of claim 2, wherein the data in the first format includes daily totals.

4. The method of claim 3, wherein the daily totals reflect a price associated with the goods.

5. The method of claim 4, wherein the data in the second format includes monthly totals.

6. The method of claim 4, wherein the data in the second format includes a grouping of the goods.

7. A system for tracking the sale of goods in a store utilizing a network-based supply chain management framework, comprising:

a) logic for receiving data from a plurality of stores of a supply chain utilizing a network, the data relating to the sale of goods by the stores, and being in a first format associated with the stores;

b) logic for sending the data from the stores to a supply chain manager utilizing the network; and

c) logic for translating the data to a second format associated with the supply chain manager.

8. The system of claim 7, wherein the stores include restaurants.

9. The system of claim 8, wherein the data in the first format includes daily totals.

10. The system of claim 9, wherein the daily totals reflect a price associated with the goods.

11. The system of claim 10, wherein the data in the second format includes monthly totals.

12. The system of claim 10, wherein the data in the second format includes a grouping of the goods.

13. A computer program product for tracking the sale of goods in a store utilizing a network-based supply chain management framework, comprising:

a) computer code for receiving data from a plurality of stores of a supply chain utilizing a network, the data relating to the sale of goods by the stores, and being in a first format associated with the stores;

b) computer code for sending the data from the stores to a supply chain manager utilizing the network; and

c) computer code for translating the data to a second format associated with the supply chain manager.

14. The computer program product of claim 13, wherein the stores include restaurants.

15. The computer program product of claim 14, wherein the data in the first format includes daily totals.

16. The computer program product of claim 15, wherein the daily totals reflect a price associated with the goods.

17. The computer program product of claim 16, wherein the data in the second format includes monthly totals.

18. The computer program product of claim 16, wherein the data in the second format includes a grouping of the goods.